

## Message Text

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C O N F I D E N T I A L NEW DELHI 17735

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E.O. 11652:GDS  
TAGS: OVIP (CARTER, JIMMY)  
SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL TRIP: SCHEDULES

WITH SOME EMBARRASSMENT GOI NOW SAYS IT PREFERS RAM LILA  
TO OPEN GROUND IN FRONT OF RED FORT AS SITE OF PUBLIC  
MEETING ON JANUARY 1. RAM LILA CAN BETTER ACCOMMODATE  
LARGER CROWD, WHICH THEY BELIEVE COULD CLIMB ABOVE 700,000.

2. IN OUR VIEW RED FORT IS MORE ATTRACTIVE SITE BUT SECURITY  
AND CROWD CONTROL CONSIDERATIONS FAVOR RAM LILA.

3. PLEASE ADVISE AS TO PREFERENCE.  
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